The Capitalistic System

will turn you
upside down to

shake loose re-
maining pennies.

Not content, they'll
strip and flay
you raw

to compound
their interest
all the while

you profess al-
legiance, admitting

the breathless, patriotic,
marvel of it all. Then

naked and stumbling bloody,
you can begin anew, some

day become as rich as
your present masters, get-
ting, thereby, your own whip.

Inspiring lore, but most
need protection.

Not to worry, though.
What government is for.